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You don't need a hunting license to shoot folly as it flies.

One who is dull naturally can't see the point of a joke.

Girls with good figures often catch men whose bank accounts have good figures.

A divorce is often a big help to a family, same as a death, but it should not become a habit.

And then you'll find women who think being given the right to vote gives them the right to smoke cigarettes.

You don't have to tell a good-looking girl that she is and you'd better never tell any kind of a looking girl that she isn't.

Women who used to wear their hearts on their sleeves have to wear them some other place nowadays if they wear them at all.

The old-time bookworm who studied in order to get a diploma now has a son who loafs in order to get a "frat" membership.

Even though there may be nothing new under the sun, a lot of people "get by" in the world by making old things look new.

Almost anybody can put money in a bank, but almost nobody can be the man in the bank that receives the money's that put in.

Women do paint and powder upon their countenances and put harness of many kinds on their bodies, but they don't wear derby hats.

The difference between a man janitor and a woman janitor is that a man janitor knows that dirt which doesn't show isn't there.

He doesn't put it just that way, but every man is anxious for his income to go up and the cost of things to go down at the same time.

Anybody can give a good excuse for not doing what he is expected to do, but the one who "delivers the goods" makes the other give the excuses.

Mexico might be asked, tentatively, how she would like the Cuban plan of American suzerainty. Her answer wouldn't make us a bit mad.

By their names shall ye know them. Why can't new round dances have a higher-toned nomenclature? Art would dictate as much good taste can't.

"Fools build houses, wise men live in them." How out of date that nonsensical aphorism is. Wise men have to be wise, indeed, to be able to pay the rent.

It might not be such bad policy to kick a man after he's down if it were not for the fact that some day he's likely to get up while the one who did the kicking is down.

Lots of men go kicking themselves through life over lost opportunities, when the truth is they couldn't recognize an opportunity, and if they could wouldn't know what to do with it.

There is not unoccupied territory enough in the world; else all those folks with various ideas at Chicago could take them somewhere and put them into practice as the Pilgrim Fathers did with theirs.

TALKING POLITICS LIGHTLY.

In a presidential year, one should be permitted to rescue at least one intact hour of his leisure, to be devoted to something else besides politics, although we do not seem to be starting out with that idea in view. The flood of politics morning, noon and night threaten to become overwhelming.

In ancient days of piety and learning, it may be recalled, there was a "sweet hour of prayer," and another that was called the "study hour." Well, we ask for just such hours now, or similar ones; and set our minds upon a resolution that shall declare: "For one hour each day and we shall not read or talk politics."

What we shall do with that precious hour is not now determined, but perhaps we shall read free verse, or hoe in the garden, or harass the parrot on the subject of crackers, or discuss baseball—something light that isn't fretting.

Likewise, we positively refuse, when we do pin our eyes and intellects on the political slate of the country, to read all the speeches, especially those of our adversaries. For what are we blessed with editorials? We shall let them tell us what is in our adversaries' speeches.

CONGRESSMAN SELLS' SPEECH.

Congressman Sam R. Sells spoke in Greenville last Thursday afternoon in the new circuit court room, to a crowd that filled the big auditorium. This is somewhat remarkable, too, coming at an "off" time, when there was no court in session or anything else to attract the citizens of the county to Greenville, for it has for some time been a well known fact that it is difficult to draw an audience from the country districts during the busy farming season.

The crowd present proved most conclusively what this newspaper has been contending all along—that Congressman Sells was stronger in Greene County today than he ever was before. The underhanded work of his few enemies, their activities during the past few weeks in an effort to bring about discord and discontent among the republican ranks of Greene County—and we speak both locally and nationally—has availed nothing, if we are to judge from the demonstration given Mr. Sells here Thursday evening.

Much to the surprise of his few enemies or opposers, Congressman Sells treated them with silent contempt. He reviewed his record closely and left it for the citizens of Greene County to decide. Every thinking republican in the First Congressional district knows that the Congressman's hands have been tied, so to speak, during the ten years he has been in Congress, still he has even outranked the older members of Congress—those that have been there possibly three times as long as he has, and is at the present time at the head of some of the most important legislative committees of that body. He is at present chairman of the committee on pensions. His recent pension bill adopted and signed by the president has made his name famous all over the states of the Union. The old, as well as the young soldier, will not forget Congressman Sells for his efforts in this direction. This is not all, but he has worked earnestly for several years on the forestry reserve bill, which affects this section of the state more than any other, and has succeeded in securing the attention of the forestry commission when it seemed at times all other means had failed.

Congressman Sells has served his constituents well—he will be in a position to serve them even better after the fourth day of next March. He is just in his prime and getting where he can serve his people best, and this newspaper cannot be led to believe that the citizens of the First Congressional district—and we speak for Greene County especially—are in the least anticipating making any change at the present time.

FOND DREAM DISTURBED.

The Greenville Democrat of last week has had its fond dreams disturbed. It had dreamed that the republicans were asleep, and that its party was going to be able to elect its candidate for Trustee. The disturbance came when upon awaking it found the republican party fully awake to some of the schemes practiced in days gone by when elections in this and other counties in East Tennessee were a farce. When election officers were chosen, not for their integrity or their inclination to obey the laws governing them, but because of their disregard for these virtues. Surely the editor of The Democrat would refrain from calling for the proof of a matter that is generally conceded. Then it assumes the role of adviser and proceeds to advise the party for which it has utter abhorrence how to proceed. The republican party in this county has demonstrated time and again, its capability of managing its own affairs. This good year 1920 will be no exception. Likewise, it sheds many tears that the republican party has three bosses in the county. This is evidently a borrowed thought, emanating from some of those in that party who have not been permitted to dictate the things they so much desired, they might be properly at this time styled the "bosses" of the party. Some day they may grow to maturity and when they have attained growth our trust is that they may handle the affairs of the party as wisely and as unselfishly as the present management.

The editor of The Sun has been running a newspaper for more than thirty years. The policy of our paper during all this time has been republican, and every reader is aware of that fact. In our news reports we have been fair and unbiased, in publishing political happenings, endeavoring to give the readers in both parties the information for which they have so liberally patronized us. Boycotts and threats to put us out of business has signally failed because we have pleased our patrons. In the future, as in the past, we shall exercise our rights intimidated by one and giving the public fresh and trustworthy press and local reports every week day in the year.

"With malice toward none and charity to all," we invite the co-operation of the reading public and the patronage of our advertisers and this paper will continue the biggest factor in the development of Greenville and Greene County.

We have heard many remarks and compliments to the gentlemanly manner in which Prof. Leon Easterly introduced Congressman Sells last Thursday. A vast difference to that of the introductory given Lieutenant Reece when he spoke here on the 12th inst. Prof. Easterly voiced the sentiments of 98 per cent of the world war veterans, when he stated he had the greatest respect for his comrades-in-arms, but when one of these sought to capitalize his patriotism as Mr. Reece and his coterie of managers do, it provokes a blush of shame.

If as a private in the Spanish-American war, Sam Sells as a citizen becomes Congressman and achieves the many commendable things he has, it is probable that Reece might some day with his military honors, become president of the defunct League of Nations.

REPUBLICAN TICKET

For Congress
SAM R. SELLSFor Sheriff
W. H. GREENWAYFor Trustee
W. R. KILDAYFor Tax Assessor
R. B. MOORE

Officers Appointed for Aug. 5 Election

We, the undersigned, commissioners of election for Greene County, Tennessee, do hereby, by virtue of the authority in us vested as commissioners of election, call an Election to be held in all of the voting precincts of Greene County, including the Town of Greenville, from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., on Thursday, August 5th, 1920, for the purpose of electing a Sheriff, a Trustee, a Tax Assessor, Members of the County Board of Education, a Justice of the Peace in the 4th, 16th and 19th civil districts, and in any other districts where there may be vacancies, and Constables in the various civil districts and in the Town of Greenville.

This July 20th, 1920.
JAMES ALLEN.
JAS. F. SWINGLE.
Commissioners of Election, Greene County, Tennessee.

We hereby designate and appoint the following persons to hold the election of August 5th, namely:—

1st District—(Forest Hill).
Officer—W. I. Broyles.
Judges—Geo. Morelock, Roy Waddle, H. M. Willhoit.
Clerks—J. R. Henley, S. J. Bowman.

1st District—(Union Chapel).
Officer—Wilbur Moore.
Judges—Hugh Alexander, J. W. Click, T. N. French.
Clerks—J. C. Prather, E. S. Cramer.

2nd District.
Officer—J. W. Farnsworth.
Judges—T. C. Wells, J. C. Willhoit, Decatur Willhoit.
Clerks—D. A. Gibbs, R. T. Woolsey.

3rd District.
Officer—T. H. Forman.
Judges—E. F. Birdwell, D. L. Woods, W. P. Neas.
Clerks—Horace Hawk, H. B. Linebarger.

4th District—(Warrensburg).
Officer—D. T. Jones.
Judges—Ed Scruggs, William Robinson, Leslie Bewley.
Clerks—R. G. DeBusk, E. A. Biele.

4th District—(Thula).
Officer—Caleb Crosby.
Judges—Elmer Murray, John Haun, James Davis.
Clerks—Quincy Styke, Prof. F. C. Broyles.

5th District.
Officer—Sherman Jarrell.
Judges—A. T. Easterly, A. J. Ervin, John Knipp.
Clerks—Ura Huff, J. A. Broyles.

6th District.
Officer—T. P. Manes.
Judges—Porter Kite, Riley Hoard, Thomas White.
Clerks—R. G. Kidwell, Cyrus Poe.

7th District.
Officer—Ed Doud.
Judges—F. C. James, Bart Carter, J. D. Johnson.
Clerks—R. F. Park, T. C. Craft.

8th District.
Officer—Ep Hartman.
Judges—T. C. Hartman, W. N. Rader, N. C. Bible.
Clerks—William Mercer, W. H. Hartman.

9th District.
Officer—J. A. Susong.
Judges—S. A. Noell, D. C. Susong, Lonford Lane.
Clerks—F. C. Willhoit, G. C. Roberts.

10th District.
Officer—C. P. Baker.
Judges—F. E. McCray, George W. Hankal, J. H. Cutshaw.
Clerks—Fred Armitage, R. C. Howard.

11th District.
Officer—John M. Brown.
Judges—Elmer Kinney, Robert Fink, I. H. Carter.
Clerks—E. E. Brotherton, G. M. Kenney.

12th District.
Officer—J. S. Foshe.
Judges—John Justice, Ben Dixon, J. M. Shanks.
Clerks—Edgar Keller, W. R. O'Dell.

13th District.
Officer—J. M. Dobson.
Judges—S. D. Ramsey, J. E. McAmis, John R. Doty.
Clerks—Fred Nelson, C. S. Doak.

Memphians Fear "Dry Land" Basis

MEMPHIS, July 23.—Formation of a shipping corporation capitalized at \$1,000,000 to combat the proposed order of the interstate commerce commission placing Memphis freight rates on the "dry land" basis was instituted Wednesday at a mass meeting of business men here. A fund of \$75,000 for use in the preliminary arrangements is to secure options on boats for use on the Mississippi river was underwritten at the meeting by business interests of the city.

The step taken follows the appointment of a committee on July 8 to investigate the situation and render a report. It is proposed to operate boats between New Orleans and Memphis, and St. Louis and Memphis the Memphis-St. Louis division to be first placed in operation.

The committee report stated that "failure to use the Mississippi river has brought the disaster upon us and our only hope for relief lies in resumption of its use."

NEW YORK, July 23.—More than 20,000 moving picture workers employed in studios and laboratories in New York and vicinity went on strike Wednesday, tying or crippling a score of film plants. The workers demand more pay, shorter hours and recognition of the union.

Union leaders threaten to spread the strike throughout the country and include camera men, machine operators, stage hands and others employed in the "movie" industry.

All film laboratories in the metropolitan district are affected by the strike, union leaders declared last night, adding that the walkout would mean the curtailment of film production by at least 20,000,000 feet per week.

14th District.
Officer—A. N. Gregory.
Judges—Cicero Thompson, J. M. Rhea, A. P. Taylor.
Clerks—Scott Linticum, C. C. Berry.

15th District—(Jockey).
Officer—W. R. Riffe.
Judges—Charles Armstrong, John Cardee, J. W. Good.
Clerks—Paul Armstrong, Joe Shanks.

15th District—(Chuckey).
Officer—Oath Doyle.
Judges—Al Black, Sam Spears, Will Fitzgerald.
Clerks—James Birdwell, Luckey Bitner.

16th District.
Officer—J. W. McCollum.
Judges—J. A. Crabtree, C. R. Babb, I. L. Doty.
Clerks—Claud Davis, Earl Kilday.

17th District.
Officer—J. Carson Moore.
Judges—A. G. R. Baxter, J. J. Armstrong, Isaac Depew.
Clerks—Little Bob Hays, W. W. Crawford.

18th District.
Officer—James Crum.
Judges—James Rollins, Charles Humphreys, J. W. Browning.
Clerks—A. J. Crum, L. B. Davis.

19th District.
Officer—J. K. Rush.
Judges—L. V. Harmon, W. A. Clarke, Hugh Crosby, John D. Rader, Sr., James L. Ailshie, Jr. Cloyd.

20th District.
Officer—James Forginson.
Judges—J. W. Phillips, T. L. Starnes, J. B. Ford.
Clerks—J. H. Luster, J. J. Shanks.

21st District.
Officer—J. F. Brown.
Judges—J. O. White, W. N. Thompson, Rufus Smith.
Clerks—J. W. Davis, John H. McAmis.

22nd District.
Officer—John Jones.
Judges—H. A. Dobson, J. M. McFee, J. H. Stanton.
Clerks—Oscar Jones, H. T. Price.

23rd District.
Officer—J. A. Burger.
Judges—H. H. Myers, G. W. Carter, J. M. Hendry.
Clerks—H. C. Kent, J. U. Brown.

24th District.
Officer—Henry Sizemore.
Judges—Edgar Johnson, Jr., Ed Doud, John Gray.
Clerks—John Brooks, Rat Bartley.

25th District.
Officer—H. H. Lauderdale.
Judges—J. H. Smith, James Evans, L. E. Easterly.
Clerks—J. W. Rader, P. M. Boles.

26th District.
Officer—J. R. White.
Judges—J. D. Keebler, B. F. Grager, R. N. McAdams.
Clerks—J. G. Keebler, J. N. Range.

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Japanese Wild Over Diamonds

CHICAGO, July 23 (United Press.)

—The Japanese have gone wild over platinum jewelry, according to Geo. R. Allen, recently returned from Seoul, Korea.

"It is no exaggeration to say," declared Allen, "that the Japanese in Japan are wearing \$10,000,000 worth of platinum jewelry. Among the wealthy and fashionable people of the mikado's empire, every form of platinum jewelry is in demand. The jewelers cannot begin to supply the wants of their customers. Platinum has come to be a fashionable foil for diamonds and this is a combination of the highest priced gems and the highest priced metal."

"But price makes no difference to the Japanese. This is a period in Japan, as it is in this country of high wages and big money and everybody is indulging in an orgy of buying. The higher the cost of anything the more desirable it is. The war made millionaires overnight and gave the working class more money than they ever had before. Since the war began to pour money into Japan, the nation has become a great diamond buyer. Before the war it bought few diamonds."

Allen says Siberia is a treasure house of gold and platinum but it will be years before its mineral wealth can be exploited. He declared the soviets destroyed three \$600,000 dredgers used in the platinum mines in the Ural mountains, once the world's chief source of platinum supply, and no work at all is being done in these mines. The world is now forced to depend for almost all its platinum on the mines of Columbia, South America.

Canadian Pulp Goes to Spain

QUEBEC, QUE., July 23. (United Press.)—A new market for Canadian pulp was developed here by the visit recently of August Ramoneda of Spain. Ramoneda represents 25 of Spain's largest paper mills and has instructions to place orders for as much Canadian pulp as was available. He secured, however, he stated only one-tenth of the amount he would like to have purchased.

The Canadian Government Steamship Maple Court has just sailed for Spain with the first cargo of Canadian pulp for Mr. Ramoneda's clients, who consume about 65,000 tons of pulp per year.

Ramoneda will leave shortly for his home in Barcelona and while there he will endeavor to interest Spanish merchants in shipping their products, such as oils, nuts and fruits to Canada.

Germany Would Mass Her Army

PARIS, July 23.—Germany has requested permission from the Allies to mass a large body of troops on the Baltic coast, near Memel, to resist any invasion of Prussia by General Brusiloff's Bolshevik army. It has been learned from an authoritative source.

The Germans profess fears of invasion by the Russian army, which is crossing northern Poland. Memel lies near the border of Lithuania but was taken from Germany by the peace conference.

PASTOR-SERGEANT SAYS MOB STORMED JAIL

DURHAM, N. C., July 23.—Rev. Robert M. Price, pastor of the Lakewood Methodist Church and a sergeant in the Durham machine gun company, last night issued a sworn statement in which he declares emphatically that a masked mob attempted to storm the Durham County jail last Monday night and fired upon the machine gunners guarding the jail before the soldiers fired a shot. Sergeant Price says that he was in command of the machine gun that fired first, and that before ordering his men to fire, had narrowly escaped injured or death from bullets which whizzed by his head.

ALLIES TO HELP POLAND WITH ALL THEIR FORCES

PARIS, July 23.—Referring to Premier Lloyd George's ultimatum to soviet Russia that if the armistice proposals were not accepted Great Britain and her allies would defend Poland with all their forces and in every way, Premier Millerand told the chamber of deputies last Tuesday.

"France will keep her word, as I am sure Great Britain will be faithful to hers."

NOMINATIONS IN CUBA

HAVANA, July 23.—The conservative party national convention nominated Dr. Ricardo Dolz, president of the Cuban senate, as vice-presidential candidate and running mate of General Rafael Montalvo, who was unanimously chosen to head the conservative ticket at the first session of the convention several weeks ago.

The figure three is extraordinarily prominent in the Bible. Noah had three wives and Job three friends. There were three patriarchs. Daniel's three companions were thrown into the fiery furnace, and he himself was three days in the lion's den.